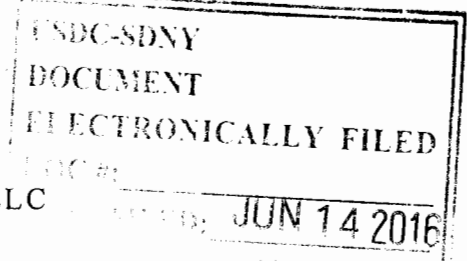


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Application granted. No additional extensions will be granted absent good cause. As this case has not been referred to Judge Francis, correspondence should be addressed to the undersigned.

BY ECF

The Honorable James C. Francis
United States Magistrate Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ronnie Abrams", written over a horizontal line.

Ronnie Abrams, U.S.D.J.
June 14, 2016

RE: Villalta v. J.S. Barkats et al. - 16-CV-2772 (RA)(JCF)

Your Honor,

I have been recently retained to represent defendants, Sunny Barkats and J.S. Barkats, PLLC, in this action.

Defendants were served with a Notice of Lawsuit, Complaint and Request for Waiver of Service (which was executed by defendants) on or about April 14, 2016. Accordingly, responsive pleadings are due June 13, 2016.

Defendants respectfully request a two-week extension to respond to the Complaint, until June 27, 2016. This is the first such request.

Counsel for plaintiffs has provided limited consent to this request¹.

Accordingly, and without waiving any defenses, claims and counter-claims available under applicable law, defendants request said extension, until June 27, 2016, to respond to the Complaint.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ Counsel for Plaintiff consents to an extension of time only for defendants to Answer but apparently not to file any other type of pleading.